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**SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment substitutes the amendment filed October 11, 2006 in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are found on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.